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Dear Sir: Your check for \$500 for "Repurclase" of ten shares of stock in your association, the property of Charles E. H. Holmes, my late husband, who died December 9, 1889, at Garfield hospital, was duly received.

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1t\* FR. HEIDENREICH, Secretary.

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24-1m

UNIVERSITY CLUB.

All graduates of universities and colleges who are interested in tounding a University Club in Washington are requested to send their names, addresses, colleges or universities, &c., to the secretary of the committee, 1101 K st. n.w., at an early date,

124-6t\* WESTON FLINT, See'y Committee.

DEBORAH LODGE.

The officers and members of Deborah Lodge are requested to attend the funeral of our late sister, Sophia King, at 2 o'clock p.m. from her late residence, 7th st. bet, G and H sts. n.w., on TUESDAY, February 25, 1890.

11. KRONHEIMER, Secretary.

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f22-2t ELECTION OF DIRECTORS.

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R. F. BAKER, Secretary.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., MONDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1890.

TAKING THE BALLOTS

NEW YORK GAINING VOTES.

WASHINGTON LOSES AT FIRST.

LIVELY SCENES IN THE HOUSE

A SENSATION IN THE SENATE.

THE SENATE.

Mr. Chandler, rising to a question of personal privilege, called attention to the fact that the Senator from Florida (Mr. Call) in the debate last Thursday had uttered words personally offensive to him (which he had not then heard) and had followed up that breach of order by changing and adding to the official report of his remarks a paragraph still more offensive. He (Mr. Chandler) deemed it his duty (before replying to the assault made upon him) to bring the Senator's conduct be solved.

Shively, Smith (Iil.), Smith (W.Va.), Smyser, Shively, Smith (III.), Smith (W.Va.), Smyser, Snider, Spooner, Springer, Stephenson, Struble, Taylor (Ill.), Taylor (Tenn.), E. B. Taylor, J. Taylor (Ohio), Townsend (Pa.), Turner (Kan.), Van Schaick, Walker (Mass.), Watson, Wheeler (Mich.), Whitney, Wickham, Williams (Ohio), Wilson (Washington), Yoder—115. upon him) to bring the Senator's conduct be-fore the Senate for such action as might be deemed just and suitable for such a transgres-

A RESOLUTION OF CENSURE. He, therefore, offered a preamble and resolution stating that the Senator from Florida had charged him in debate with personal responsibility for the outraging of women and the murdering of children and the destruction of the happiness of households in the south by men who were the emissaries behind him, and that the Senator had in additional the following according to the control the following according to the control that the senator had in additional that the senator had th tion inserted the following paragraph, which he had not spoken: "The blood of Saunders, if the evidence shall show his death was in any way connected with the prosecutions in United States courts, will rest on his conscience. The shricking ghosts of outraged and murdered women and children, the victims of the wild lusts and passions of a race who owe all that they know of religion and civilization to the southern white people and not to the Senator from New Hampshire, will disturb his MISS ELIZABETH W. GREENWOOD OF Brooklyn will give a series of Bible Readings at the Church of the Covenant, Conne-ticut ave., on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, February 24, 25 and 26, at 3 p.m. All friends cordially invited.

W.C.T.U.

Senator from New Hampshire, win distribute sleeping and his waking hours. Like Banquo's ghost, it will not down; and the ocean will not wash his blood-stained hands from the guilt of the rape and murder of these first and the graph and children. The resolution condemns such action as a breach of privilege, for which the Senator (Mr. Call) is censured, and orders the words so inserted and the paragraph so added

> SENATOR CALL REPILES. Mr. Call defended his course in the matter, asserting that he had in debate expressed substantially the same idea as was expressed in the additional paragraph. He had simply changed the phraseology, as he had a right to do; therefore the statement made by the Senator from New Hampshire was not true. It was the first time in his eleven years service in the first time in his eleven years service in the Senate that he heard it claimed that it was not admissible for a Senator to correct, to explain, to amplify the language used by him, so as to express more clearly the idea intended to be

to be stricken from the report in the Con-

gressional Record.

MR. CHANDLER AGAIN. Mr. Chandler repelled the intimation that anything which he had stated was not true He desired to have the decision of the Senate on the question presented. He asked no protection for himself. He only asked that the Senate should decide whether such language might be used by one Senator in relation from Florida was to be permitted with his pen, alone in his room, to write out additional charges and send them to the public printer to be published throughout the country as if they had been actually spoken in the Senate chamber. He sent the original of the objectional paragraph by a page to Mr. Call and asked whether that was in his hand-

MR. CALL REITERATES. Mr. Call said that this was an extraordinary performance on the part of the Senator from New Hampshire, and he repeated his assertion that he had in debate clearly and distinctly charged that Senator with respon-sibility for the death of Saunders and for the other iniquities committed in the south. The report when it came to him was not, he said, a full and accurate report of his remarks, and he was authorized by the common practice of the Senate to correct and to transpose, and he had done no more than that. TAMPERING WITH THE RECORD.

Mr. Teller expressed the opinion that there should be no tampering with the Record except to correct grammatical mistakes. Certainly nothing of a denunciatory character ought to be added to the report.

Mr. Harris suggested that the resolution should be printed and go over till tomorrow and the Senate could determine the proper dis-position of it. His own idea was that it should be referred to the committee on rules. PHOTOGRAPHIC ACCURACY.

Mr. Hoar spoke of the necessity that the Record should be one of photographic correctness, as therein lay the sole safety of every Senator's reputation for his action in the

Mr. Vest ridiculed the idea of the photographic correctness of the Record and alluded to the fact that a few years ago the same speech was published as having been made by two different representatives and had been pre-

pared by neither.
Mr. Sherman thought that the proper disposition of the resolution would be its reference to the committee on privileges and elections, and said that the established custom of the Senate had been that nothing of a personal character which was not uttered should be injected into the report.

THE RESOLUTION GOES OVER. Finally, on objection of Mr. Harris, the resolution went over until tomorrow.

Nominations Today. The President today sent to the Senate the following nominations: Jos. A. Wingfield, supervisor of census, third district of Virginia.

Albert F. Price, United States marshal, district North Dakota.
Withdrawn—Frank W. Winston, supervisor of census, third Virginia district. THE HOUSE.

In spite of a bad day, with rain falling and the skies so dark that a full head of gas blazed above the glass panels of the ceiling of the hall of the House at high noon, when the Speaker's gavel fell, the galleries were packed with spectators and crowds obstructed the corridors. All of these people had gathered to witness the deciding struggle between the adherents of the cities of New York, Chicago, St. Louis and Washington, upon the result of which depended the location of the world's fair of 1892.

Chauncey M. Depew, Mayor Cregier and a host of representative men were to be seen in

IN THE GALLERIES.

Representative O'Neill (Pa.) opened the proceedings by presenting John E. Reyburn, the successor of the late Representative Kelly (Pa.) Mr. Reyburn took his place before the bar and received the oath at the hands of the Speaker.

site for the fair, requiring some one place to have a majority of the votes cast.

Mr. Blount (Ga.) wished to know if there would be an opportunity afforded to pass upon the question as to whether there shall be a fair before selecting a site. The Speaker replied under the special order this opportunity could not be had, and immediately directed the clerk There was some applause as the first few re-

New York ..... 72 St. Louis...... 62 Washington ..... 56 Cumberland Gap..... 1 THE VOTE IN DETAIL. The detailed vote was as follows: Chicago-Messrs, Adams, Allen (Mich.),

Brewer. Brickner, Brookshire, T. M. Browne Bullock, Burrows, Burton, Butterworth Bynum, Caldwell, Cannon, Carter, Caswell, Cheadle, Cheatham. Chipman, Clark (Wis.), Clunie, Comstock, Conger, Connell, Cooper (Ohio). Cowles, Craig, Craine, Culbertson (Pa.), Cutcheon, Dalzeil, Davidson, Dolliver, Dorsey, Dunnell, Evans, Ewart, Fithian, Flick Dunnell, Evans. Ewart, Fithian, Flick, Funston, Gear, Gest, Gifford, Grosvenor, Hansbrough, Hanzen, Hayes, Haynes, Hender-Hansbrough, Hanzen, Hayes, Haynes, Henderson (Ill.), Henderson (Iowa), Hermann, Hill, Hitt, Hopkins, Keliey, Kennedy, Kerr (Iowa), Lacey, La Follette, Lawler, Laws, Lind, Martin (Ind.) Mason, McClellan, McCord, McCreary, McKenna, McKinley, Morey, Morrow, Outhwaite, Owen (Ind.) Parrett, Payson, Pendleton, Perkins, Peters, Pickler, Post, Pugsley, Ray, Reed (Iowa), Rowell, Scrauton ley, Ray, Reed (Iowa), Rowell, Scranton, Shively, Smith (Ill.), Smith (W.Va.), Smyser, New York-Messrs. Andrew, Baker, Barnes, Beckwith, Belden, Bingham, Blount, Boutelle, Brosius, Brunner, Buckalew, Campbell, Carl-Brosius, Brunner, Buckalew, Campbell, Carlton, Clancy, Covert, Cummings, Delano, Dibble, Dingley, Dunphy, Elliott, Farquhar, Flood, Fitch, Flower, Fowler, Geissenhainer, Herbert, Ketchum, Knapp, Laidiaw, Lansing, Lehlbach, Lester (Ga.), Lodge, Magner, McAdoo, McCarthy, McCormick, Miles, Moffit, Moore (N.H.), Mutchler, Nute, Osborne, Payne, Penningston, Perry, Ouackenbush, Oning, Baines

Tillman, Tracey, Turner (N.Y.), Venable, Wallace (Mass.), Wallace (N.Y.), Wilcox, Wiley, Wilkinson, Wright, Yardley, the Speaker, Mr. St. Louis-Messrs. Abbott, Anderson (Mass.) Bland, Boatner, Breckinridge (Ark.), J. B. Brown, Candler (Ga.), Carlisle. Caruth, Cate, Catchings, Clark (Ala.), Clements, Cobb, Crisp, Culberson (Tex.), Dockery, Ellis, Enloe, Foreman, Frank, Goodnight, Grimes, Hare, Hatch, Heard, Holman, Kinsey, Lang, Lang, Marsin, Martin, (Tex.) Lane, Lewis, Mansur, Martin (Tex.), McMillen, McRae, Mills, Mongomery, Morrill, Niedringhaus, Norton, Oates, O'Neall Ind.), Peel, Pierce, Price, Richardson, Rogers, Sayers, Stockdale, Stone (Ky.), Stone (Mo.), Tarsney, Turner (Ga.), Turpin, Vandever, Wade, Walker (Mo.), Washington, Wike, Wil-son (Ky.), Wilson (Mo.), Wise—61. Washington-Alderson, Atkinson, Bankhead,

ton, Perry, Quackenbush, Quinn, Raines, Rockwell, Russell, Sawyer. Sherman, Simonds,

Spinola, Stahlnecker, Stewart (Vt.), Stivers,

Banks, Bartine, Bayne, Bergen, Blanchard, Bowden, Breckinridge (Ky.), Brower, Browne (Va.), Buchanan (Va.), Bunn, Compton, Dargan, DeHaven, Edmunds, Finley, Gibson, Greenhalge, Grout, Harmer, Hemphill, Henderson (N.C.), Hooker, Hauk, Kerr (Pa.), Lanham, Lee, Lester (Va.), Maish McClammy, McComas, Milliken, Moore (Texas), Morgan, Morse, O'Ferrall, O'Neil (Mass.), O'Neill (Pa.), Owens (Ohio), Randall (Mass.), Reilly, Reyburn, Robertson, Rowland, Park Scall Stewart (Toxas) Stockbridge, Stump, Tucker, Wheeler (Ala.), Wilson (W.Va.)—56. Cumberland Gap-Mr. Skinner.

MEMBERS KEEPING TALLY. The Speaker announced that the total num ber of votes cast was 305 and 153 was a majority. During the call many members kept tally for themselves, and so it happened that when Mr. Mason's name was called he shouted out "sixty-five" (meaning the total number of votes cast for Chicago up to that point), but corrected himself immediately to "Chicago," to the amusement of the House. The Chicago their feeling openly by the Speaker's caution to

people were jubilant upon the announcement of the vote, but were restrained from expressing the House to refrain from any demonstration. During the recapitulation of the names there were signs of consultation among the leaders, and the Chicago and Washington people looked with suspicion upon Mr. Dockery (Mo.) when he approached Mr. Amos Cummings (N.Y.) and held a whispered conversation with him for a mo-

MEMBERS PAIRED. The pairs were: Wr. Wilber with Mr. Randall (Pa.), Mr. Cooper (Ind.) and Mr. Williams (Ill.), Mr. O'Donnell and Mr. Kilgore, Mr. Arnold and Mr. Forney, Mr. Cogswell and Mr. Phelan, Mr. Buchanan (Va.) and Mr. Whit-thorne, Mr. Darlington and Mr. Cothran, Mr. Wilson (Ky.) and Mr. Paynter, Mr. Bliss and

Mr. Biggs.
The absentees were Messrs. Allen (Miss.) Coleman, Hall, Rife, Sanford, Seney and Sweney. Mr. Candler of Massachusetts, chairman of the special committee on the fair, did

The second ballot as officially announced was

å	as follows:	
	Second Ballot.	
	Chicago	121
	New York	83
	St. Louis	
	Washington	
	Whole number, 309; majority, 155.	77.75
	CHANGES MADE	

The following changes were made on the econd ballot: Alderson, Washington to Chicago; Bergen, Washington to New York; Bunn, Cago; Bergen, washington to New York; Bunn, Washington to New York; Crisp, St. Louis to New York; Greenhalge, Washington to New York; Henderson, N.C., Washington to New York; Morse, Washington to New York; O'Neill, Pa., Washington to New York; Rutland, Washington to New York; Rockwell, New York; Chicago, Chi Washington to New York; Rockwell, New York to Chicago; Skinner, Cumberland Gap to Washington; Vandever, St. Louis to Chicago; Wheeler, Ala., Washington to New York. Among the additional votes cast were: Baker for New York, Bulluck for Chicago, Hall, Chi-

cago; Sanford, New York; Sweeney, Chicago. Mr. Candier of Massachusetts again refrained from voting.

The result of the third ballot was announced

Third Ballot.

officially as follows: Chicago......127 New York..... 92 St. Louis..... 53 Washington,..... 34 Whole Number......307 

and New York, respectively, and losses of 2 and 10 for St. Louis and Washington, respectively. The single scattering vote also disappeared. The total vote was 309, of which 155 is a majority. The result of the fourth ballot was as follows: Fourth Ballot.

Chicago......134 New York......95 St. Louis ......48 Washington.....29 Total number of votes, 306; majority, 154. SCENES IN THE HOUSE.

neidents of the Great Contest This Afternoon. The floor of the House before noon today ooked like the scene of a political convention.

The representatives of the various cities contesting for the world's fair were actively canvassing among the members and making themselves agreeable. The members and the workers were hustling about with extraordinary The clerk read the special order of the House prescribing the method of voting upon the mated conversations were being held all over the floor. The doubtful members were pulled this way by New York, that way by St. Louis and the other way by Chicago. Washington alone had no army of workers on the floor.

The members of the strong New York contingent were most conspicuous in the crowd. Dr. Depew, ex-Secretary Whitney, Warner sponses were made, which was promptly checked by the Speaker.

The vote, as officially announced, is as follows:

Miller and Mayor Grant were among the first to appear at the Capitol, and they went to work like the hustlers that they are. Depew was in

THE NEW YORKERS AT WORK.

all places at the same time and smiling on all men. The persuasive, friend-making smile for an hour never left his face. It expanded into a loud laugh at some attempt at wit by a man he sought to please, or subsided to an amiable pucker at the corners of his mouth, but never quite left his face. At one moment he was surrounded by an interested group in front of the Speaker's desk; at another was sitting on some member's desk with his feet dangling and his smile expanding to its most persuasive proportion. Meanwhile Warner Miller moved slowly about

among the republicans with impressive dignity.

Ex-Secretary Whitney and Mayor Grant were surrounded by democrats, even Carlisle and Mills, who want no fair, and their influence was spreading out about them. All the other great New York workers spread over the House working in the workers. working in the most approved New York style. Senator Hiscock sat and watched the busy scene or joined in solemn conference in the CHICAGO AND ST. LOUIS.

The mayor of Chicago and the mayor of St. Louis were there being introduced to members and doing all those things which mayors may do to excite interest in their own cities. Gov. Francis of Missouri shook hands with two-thirds of the members during the course of an hour, and Springer, Belden, Flower, Hill and John J. O'Neill were everywhere, each working his best for the city of his choice. There was much canvassing, plotting and counter plotting and there was talk of com-binations and changes, but the situation was no less in doubt when the vote was begun than it has been from the first. The New York folks have been doing a tremendous amount of work since Friday night, and this morning they were talking very confi-dently. It was conceded on every hand that Chicago would start with a good lead, and New York expected to stand a close second. No one could quite make out where Washington would stand, but it was evident none of them felt quite easy on the subject.

The Chicago people have been trying their best to make a combination by which to get the St. Louis vote, but they do not appear to have been successful. The St. Louis men say they expect to stay in the fight to the last, but if they break a number of their votes will come to Washington or go to New York.

THE ROLL CALL. The roll call was begun immediately after the reading of the journal. The Speaker held that the only thing in order was to vote on the site for the fair. He announced that the roll would be called and each man could name the city of his choice. Washington got a good many votes in the start, which made the people in the galleries quite demonstrative. For a while the votes for each city were greeted with ap-plause, both in the galleries and on the floor, but the Speaker ordered it to cease and there was very little demonstration after that. Before the announcement of the first ballot

was made the Speaker requested that there be no demonstration of approual or disapproval by either the members or the people in the galleries. This request was respected. After the announcement some members be-gan to move about as if they might confer together but the Speaker commanded silence,

Cogswell then voted for Chicago, making a gain for that city. Mr. Crisp left St. Louis and voted for New York, and Mr. Edmunds left Washington for New York. Mr. Greenhalge changed from Washington

and asked the members to take their seats.

to New York. Harmer changed from Washington to New York. Henderson of North Carolina changed from Washington to New York. St. ouis gained the vote of Mr. McMillan. Mr. Morse left Washington for New York. O'Neill of Pennsylvania left Washington for New York. Mr. Reyburn, the successor to Judge Kelley, who took his oath of office to-day, voted for Washington on first two votes. Rockwill left New York for Chicago. Mr. Rowland voted for New York, changing from Washington. Chicago gained a vote from Mr. Seeney. Skinner changed from Cumberland Gap to Washington. Chicago gained a vote from Sweeney. Mr. Vandever changed from St. Louis to Chicago. Mr. Wheeler left Washington for New York. Speaker Reed voted for New York right along. Mr. Alderson

LIEUT. STEELE TO BE TRIED. He Will Be Charged With Maltreating a Subordinate.

The Secretary of War has decided to order a court-martial to try Lieut, Steele, eighth cav alry, who preferred charges of insubordination against Private Dell Wild, causing his trial, conviction and imprisonment. Wild, as was stated in Saturday's STAR, was released by order of the President on the ground that his trial was improperly conducted, Lieut, Steele, his accuser, being judge advocate of the court. Wild has been confined at Fort Snelling, Neb., for some weeks and kept at hard labor. He says that Steele struck him when he refused to perform a daty that he was not obliged to perform, calling him a deserter. His charges against Steele, which he preferred to Col. Townsend at the time, were ignored and he was tried himself instead. Steele is to be tried upon a charge of maltreating a subordinate, in violation of the first article of war, and it is just possible that the testimony at his trial may develop a state of affairs, connected with the examination of Wild's case, such as may lead to one or two other trials or reprimands. At all events Col. Townsend and Gen. Ruger, who passed on the case on its way to the department without calling attention to its very evident irregularity and injustice, are in an unenviable position and will most likely be called upon to explain why they allowed

such a gross breach of the law to go unnoticed. A BIG PAPER CONTRACT.

Proposals Received for Supplying the Census Office.

One of the largest contracts for furnishing paper for the use of the census office is the one for manilla tabulating cards. Bids were opened today at the Interior department for filling such a contract. The number of cards that will be used is estimated to be one hundred million and it is said that it will require 260 tons of manilla paper to the limit it will require 260 tons of manilla paper to the limit is said that it will require 260 tons of manilla paper to the limit is said that it will require 260 tons of manilla paper to the limit is said that it will require 260 tons of manilla paper to the limit is said that it will require 260 tons of manilla paper to the limit is said the limit is furnish these cards. Next to the population schedules this contract will require the largest quantity of paper that will be used for one purpose by the census office. Under a former contract 20.000,000 sheets for the population schedule will be furnished, which is to be the largest single order for writing paper ever given. No single mill in this country could meet the demand and the order is now being filled by two of the largest paper mills in the country. Already orders have been sent out for 14,600 reams of paper, which will weigh 584,000 pounds, and at the contract price, 9 cents per pound, will cost \$52,560.

The bidders for furnishing the cards are as follows: W. J. C. Duianey, H. H. Martengale and Isaac Friedewald of Baltimore, Armstrong, Craig & Co. of Philadelphia, Albert Daggett of Brooklyn and E. Morrison of this city. The lowest bidder was Mr. Daggett, whose hids ranged

from 31 7-10 cents per 1,000 to 45 7-10 cents per 1,000, the difference in price being governed by the quality of the various samples. These large contracts are made through the stationery and printing division of the Interior department, of which W. R. Lapham is chief.

TWO CENTS.

## CHICAGO STILL LEADING.

VOTING FOR THE SITE.

GAINS FOR BOTH BIG CITIES.

New York Crosses the Hundred Line

FIFTH BALLOT. Chicago......139 New York......108 St. Louis. ..... 36 Washington..... 23

TODAY'S GREAT CONTEST. Scenes in the House This Afternoon.

Washington suffered a number of desertions on the second and third ballots. On the third ballot Mr. Bankhead left Washington for New York. Mr. Bayne changed to New York. Mr. Bartine went to Chicago, Mr. Breckin-ridge of Kentucky went to St. Louis, Candler of Georgia changed for St. Louis, to New York, Mr. Cooper, voting for the first time, went for Chicago, Mr. Dorgan changed from Washington to New York, Mr. Finley changed from Washington to Chicago, Mr. Maish changed from Washington to New York Maish changed from Washington to New York. McClomery changed from Washington to New York. Mr. Moore (Tex.) changed from Washington to St. Louis. Morrill changed from St. Louis to Chi-cago. Mr. Oates changed from St. Louis to Washington, Mr. O'Neil of Massachusetts changed from Washington to Chicago. Mr.
Reyburn changed from Washington to
New York. Mr. Robertson changed
from Washington to St. Louis
Mr. Scranton changed from Chicago. New
York. Mr. Turnin changed from St. Louis
To New York. Mr. Turnin changed from St. Louis York, Mr. Turpin changed from St. Louis to Chicago. Mr. Wilson of Kentucky changed from St. Louis to Chicago. Mr. Wise ceanged from St. Louis to Chicago. Mr. Wise ceanged from St. Louis to Washington. New York gained a vote from Mr. Darlington, who had not before voted. Mr. Henderson (N. C.) went back to Washington. Mr. Lane changed from St. Louis to Chicago. Mr. Rife gave a vote to New York, not before cast.

Considerable confusion occurred after the announcement of the third ballot, and it was several minutes before the Speaker could secure quiet enough to proceed with the call.

On the fourth ballot Mr. Banks changed from Washington to New York. Mr. Brower changed from Washington to Chicago. New York gained the vote of Buchanan of New Jersey, and Buchanan of Virginia left

ents changed from St. Louis to New York. Mr. Enloe changed from St. Louis to New Mr. McClammy came back to Washington.

Mr. Owens (Ohio) changed from Washington to Chicago. Mr. Scull changed from Washington to Chicago, Mr. Tucker changed from Washington to New York, Mr. Washington changed from St. Louis to New York, Mr. Wise changed from Washing-MOVEMENT OF SILVER .- The issue of stand-

lard's on river and harbor business.— J. P. Mallette and Thos. D. Snyder of Chicago

J. Edgar Ball and B. R. Curtis of Boston and

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—Dallas Sanderson and H. N. Bartol of Philadelphia and T. S. Shoemaker of Altoona are at Weicker's.—H. A. Thomas of Boston, C. R. Crane and Geo. L. Foreman of Chicago, W. Locke and Otto Wessel of New York are at the Riggs.—G. Sabata of Kohe, Japan, C. Doblis and Thos, Bradley of New York, Chas, Ramsey of Pittaburg, Beni. Ross of Cleyeland

Denver. A. G. Bradstreet, W. B. Price, W. S. Harris and C. A. Abbey of New York, Chas. Parks of Boston, B. Goldsmith of Milwaukee, Geo. B. Squires of Salt Lake City and E. C. Babcock of Helena, Mont., are at the Ebbitt.

MR. TRACY'S HOUSE.

The Secretary Will Never Live in It

Again-No Arrangements Made to Sell It.

Mr. Frank Tracy is still in town helping his

suming more natural proportions. In a con-

issue during the corresponding period of last year was \$323,190. The shipments of frac-tional silver coin since the 1st instant amount to \$286,839. Personal.-Mr. E. P. Coyne, a prominent attorney of Genessee, N. Y., has returned home after being for a few days the guest of Hon. J. W. Wadsworth, ex-Representative from the state. While here Mr. Coyne lost a hundred dollars in paper currency.—Mr. H. O. Simons has been called to his home in St. Paul, Minn., in consequence of the serious illness of his father, Judge Simons.—Mr. Campbell Car-rington has returned from Florida.—Henry W. Calhoun, Henry C. Hopkins, J. O. Rhines, Wm. R. Kerr, Geo. L. Warner, O. N. Kiddle, W. A. Mason, J. B. Lawrence, jr., C. M. Gor-don and Dr. F. W. Lambert of New York, W. built up a large business. don and Dr. F. W. Lambert of New York, W. R. Kingsbury and R. J. Wells of Sioux Falls, Dak., A. C. Mather, J. B. T. Dougine, J. C. Anderson and Dorsey Patton of Chicago are at the Normandie.—W. M. Mayer of New York, Frank P. Cooper. Jas. Wasseman and D. P. Brown of Philadelphia, Jas. R. Cull of St. Paul, R. J. Dwyer of Hartford, Conn., G. Smith of Pottsburg, Geo N. Smith of Pottsburg, Geo N. Smith of Pottsburg, Smitley of Pittsburg, Geo. N. Smith of Boston, J. H. McChesney and R. P. Finney, of Los Angeles, Cal., are at the St. James.—Brig. Gen. Brooks, commanding department of the Platte, is at the Ebbitt. He is accompanied by his aide-de-camp, Lieut. Roe, U.S.A., who is residing with his father, Admiral Roe, U.S.N., 1232 17th street.—Mr. Chas. W. Metzgar, for nearly two years night manager of the Press his connection with that association and will give his extire attention to the Buffalo express prison at Blaye Gironde. and other connections .-- Wm. Dolese, C. B. Beach and E. J. Nelson of Chicago, Dr. De G. Ford of Augusta, Ga., and T. J. Watkins of Brooklyn are at the Metropolitan.— Geo. D. Mathiason and F. W. Pettigrew of Fort Pierre, S.D., M. Moore of Atlanta, J. E. Bower of Stanford, Mont., and James Lanagan of Chicago are at the National.—The Gondoliers company are at the Harris house, — Emma Abbott is at Willard's. — Capt. B. D. Wood and wife, Capt. M. N. Wood, Capt. Lloyd T. Belt, Capt. L. V. Cooley, Capt. Geo. H. Lord, Capt. John Quill, Capt. J. W. Bryant and wife of Mississippi, steam boat men of New Orleans, are at Wil-

Borrowed.

day elected to fill the seat in the house of commons held by Mr. Jasper Douglas Pyne, home ruler, who mysteriously disappeared some ago. Mr. Webb was unopposed. A Swap. Lospos, Feb. 24.-Mr. Chamberlain in a

DUBLIN, Feb. 24.-Mr. Alfred Webb was to-

compact of the Gladstonians for the purchase

service died last night at 9 o'clock. His death was caused by a cancer in the throat From Wall Street Today. NEW YORE, Feb. 24.-The opening of the

Marriage Licenses.

Marriage licenses have been issued by the clerk of the court to Albert Cleveland and Mollie Howard, both of Fairfax county, Va.; Thos. Cummings of La Pierre, Mich., and Clara Bursey of Thornburg, Va.; Ernest Maupin and Willie Eves; W. L. Brotherton of Asheville and Laura V. Chandler; Harry Edmunds and Mary Wright; C. H. Warner and Mary Holmes; John Johnson and Kate Smith; Pierce R. Epps and Lulu Frazier; Wm. Waite of Montgomery county, Md., and Martha Davis.

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Forepangh's circus has been sold to Cooper, the showman.

### JUDGE ALVEY'S IDEA.

The Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, He Says, Shall Have a Receiver.

SUSTAINED BY THE DEPUTIES.

Jubal Early Makes a Vigorous Denial for the Louisiana Lottery.

A CANAL RECEIVER. Judge Alvey Delivers a Decision at Hagerstown Against the Bond Holders.

Special Dispatch to THE EVENING STAR. Hagerstown, MD., Feb. 24.-The enite brought in the circuit court of Washington county sitting as a court of equity, by the Chesapeake and Ohio canal bond holders, under the acts respectively of 1844 and 1878, against the canal company, in which the complainants ask for the appointment of re-

ceivers and finally the sale of the canal, has

been decided by Judge Alvey in an opinion

The opinion is exhaustive and compre

which was given the press last evening.

hensive, in which Judge Alvey clearly expresses the opinion that neither the canal company, the state nor the minority of the bond holders of 1884, all of whom appeared in court as defendants, had any legal right to so appear and shows that the complainants have, under the terms of their several contracts, a right to a receiver. He says he will appoint receivers, but has not as yet named them, and intimates in his opinion that it can be settled at once whether the receivers will be permitted to restore and operate the canal as a waterway because such restoration might entail a great amount of expenditures to the prejudice of exisiting creditors. The action of Judge Alvey has created no surprise here, as it was generally conceded he would decide to appoint receivers, and when he does it is the general impression that Mr. Victor Cushwa of Williamsport will be named as one of the number along the river districts. The decision is received with much favor under the belief that it will restore the canal as a waterway. Others living remote from the canal, but familiar with its history, are in favor of a lease or sale, and this sentiment is clearly shown by interviews by THE STAR correspondent with

leading citizens from all sections of the county. The citizens of Sharpsburg, this county, a canal-bordering district, gave violent expressions to their feelings on Saturday evening by hanging in effigy Gov. Jackson and Messra, Moses Whitson and J. H. Harp, members of the legislature of this county, who advocated and voted for the lease to the Washington and Cumberland railroad company. HAGERSTOWN, Feb. 24, 2 p.m.-Judge H.

Alvey has not yet thus far today named the receivers for the Chesapeake and Ohio canal. JUBAL EARLY RAIDS THE RUMORS.

He Says the Louisiana Lottery Doesn's

Want a Dakota Charter.

RICHMOND, VA., Feb. 24.-Concerning the recent efforts of the Louisiana lottery company to obtain a new charter in Dakota, Gen. Jubal A. Early, a joint commissioner of the drawings Washington and voted for New York. Clemof that institution with Gen. Beauregard, makes a public statement in which he says the Louisiana lottery company had nothing to do York.
Mr. Grant changed from Washington to with the proposition reported to have been made in the North Dakota legislature, nor had the company any connection with the proposition. Gen. Early also pronounces unfounded the statement that the company proposes to procure a renewal of its charter by bribing the legislature of Louisiana. The constitution of that state, the general says, prohibits the charter of any lottery after the expiration of that of the present com-pany. The statement that the lottery company contributed to the republican campaign fund during the last presidential campaign is also denied by the general. ard silver dollars from the mints during the week ended February 22 was \$305,659. The

A WISE MAN.

He Left His Wealth to His Workmen, Who Helped to Make Him Succeed. MONTREAL, Feb. 24.-M. Chanteloup, the brass founder who died last week, lett his entire fortune to his employes, except a few thousand dollars which were bequeathed to charities. The estate is valued at \$500,000. Each of the 500 workmen receive \$400 and the balance is left to three foremen who are to carry on the business with it. M. Chanteloup was a Frenchman and had to flee from Paris daring the riots there. He settled in Canada and

AMNESTY FOR OTHERS.

The Leniency Proposed for the Duke of Orleans Leads to Surprising Demands.

Paris, Feb. 24.—The radical members of the chamber of deputies, upon learning of the government's intention to release the duke of Orleans, immediately proposed that amnesty be granted to all persons found guilty of strike offenses during the past decade. The proposal was adopted by a vote of 221 to 182. It will be brought up for discussion today. It is be-lieved that the proposal will cause great excitement and that the government will oppose the motion. It is probable that the young duke in the meantime will be removed to the

CARNOT WINS. The Amnesty Question Settled in the Deputies as He Wanted It.

Paris, Feb. 24.-An animated debate took place in the chamber of deputies today on the motion submitted by MM. Proust, Dumay and Fefferin on behalf of the radicals in favor of amnesty for all persons found guilty of taking part in offenses in connection with strikes during the past decade. The government opposed the motion and it was finally defeated by vote of 325 to 190.

London, Feb. 24.-The Swedish government has negotiated a loan of 40,000,000 crowns. Douglas Pyne's Successor.

letter to the Times denounces the new

of Parnell votes by the abandonment of the principle of unsectarian education in favor of the Catholics. Capt. Merriman Dead. ENGLEWOOD, N.J., Feb. 24.—Capt. James . Merriman of the United States revenue marine

stock market this morning was made upon a moderately active business, which was well dismoderately active business, which was well dis-tributed among the leading stocks, though Louisville and Nashville, Bock Island, New England, St. Paul and Burlington and Quincy were most prominent. First prices as com-pared with the closing figures of Friday showed very irregular changes, Louisville and Nashville being down % per cent, while cotton oil was up a like amount. There was consider-able pressure to sell in the early dealings and fractional declines occurred all over the list, bidder was Mr. Daggett, whose bids ranged a vast size at the time of the fire, is now reas-

versation with a STAR reporter this morning he said that nothing has been decided in regard to the disposition of the ruined house, which is open and untouched, just as it was on the day after the fire. Several